

## Message Text

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E.O.11652: XGDS-1  
TAGS: PINT, CH  
SUBJECT: OVSERVATIONS IN SIAN

1. SWISS EMBOFF VISITING IN SIAN, SHENSI JANUARY 10-12  
WITNESSED LARGE BANNER ON BELL TOWER IN CENTER OF CITY  
CALLING FOR RETURN OF TENG HSIAO-PING.
2. POSTERS ALONG MAIN STREETS ATTACKED LOCAL FUNCTION-  
ARIES. HIGHEST RANKING OFFICIAL CRITICIZED BY NAME WAS  
MA HSI-SHENG, VICE CHAIRMAN OF SHENSI PROVINCIAL  
REVOLUTIONARY COMMITTEE AND VICE CHAIRMAN OF SHENSI  
PROVINCIAL TRADE UNION COUNCIL.
3. SIAN APPEARED ECONOMICALLY DEPRESSED. EMBOFF  
NOTICED BEGGAR AT MAIN INTERSECTION IN CITY AND WIT-  
NESSED CONSIDERABLE FREE MARKET ACTIVITY, INCLUDING  
HAGGLING OVER PRINCES, ALONG ONE OF MAIN ARTERIES LEADING  
INTO CENTER OF CITY.
4. EMBOFF ALSO OBSERVED POSTERS HAILING CONVOCATION  
IN SIAN OF PROVINCIAL MEETING ON LEARNING FROM  
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